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METHOD

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This is a decision on the request for corrected patent applications publication under 37 CFR 1.221 (b), filed on May 12, 2004 for the above-identified application.

The request is DISMISSED.

The instant request is that the application be republished because the patent application publication includes the abstract, specification, drawings and claims of another application.

37 CFR 1.221 (b) is applicable "only when the Office makes a material mistake which is apparent from Office records.... Any request for a corrected publication or revised patent application publication other than provided as provided in paragraph (a) of this section must be filed within two months from the date of the patent application publication. This period is not extendable." The request for corrected publication received on May 12, 2004, was not timely filed under 37 CFR 1.221 (b).

Due to the nature of the errors in this publication, the office will *sua sponte* publish a corrected patent application publication. The corrected patent application publication will be published in due course, unless the application is allowed and the patent issues before the application is republished.

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